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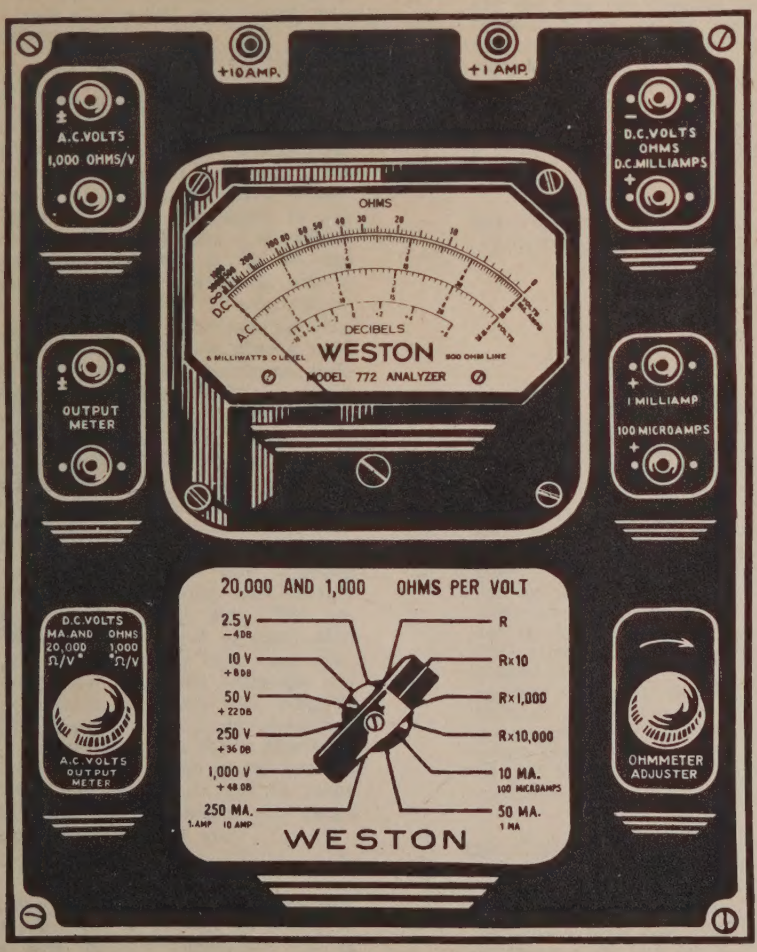
Instruction Book

for the

WESTON MODEL 772, TYPE 6

SUPER SENSITIVE ANALYZER



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Instructions for Model 772, Type 6 Analyzer

I. DESCRIPTION OF THE ANALYZER

1.1 — General. This model 772 analyzer has been specifically designed to place in the hands of the service man an ultra sensitive and complete analyzer for all types of service work. In designing this equipment every possible extra cost has been eliminated and the design kept as clean and free as possible from gadgets and other unnecessary frills. All the equipment with the exception of the batteries for the ohmmeter is mounted directly on the metal panel, this panel mounting directly in the instrument carrying case. The complete analyzer is of rugged construction and with reasonable care should give many years of accurate service.

1.2 — Instrument. The heart of any piece of test equipment is the electrical measuring instrument. If this particular part is not carefully and accurately designed and constructed no matter how many other parts are used in the equipment the device cannot give accurate readings. The instrument in the Model 772 is of the 4¼" type having a movement considerably larger than that used in the 301 size meters. The meter is purposely designed with a large open face so that light will be admitted to the scale from all sides giving maximum visibility of the scale. In addition a large scale plate is used with a long pointer length so that maximum scale arc length is available. The instrument is equipped with a tubular type pointer having an extended knife edge covering all of the arcs. Considerable work has been done on the design of the scale to increase ease of readability and to make possible a maximum accuracy. The d.c. scale which is the most important of the voltage and current measurements consists of a 100 line or division arc. A large instrument of this type makes possible such a finely divided scale. Directly above this d.c. scale appears an ohm scale extending from 0 to 3000. This arc has been carefully divided to give accurate ohm readings. The a.c. and db scales have been calibrated in red to differentiate them from the d.c. Note that all a.c. voltages, no matter what range is used, are read on a single arc. Painstaking research in the laboratory has resulted in a newly developed rectifier and associated circuit which makes possible the measuring of a low voltage on the 2.5 range and a higher voltage on the 10-50-250 or 1000 range with equal accuracy using a single arc.

1.3 — Panel. The panel for this instrument has been carefully worked out to provide simplicity of operation along with modern appearance. Brief instructions for each of the controls are etched directly in the panel so that once the general operation of the tester is understood no further instructions need be referred to. The molded bakelite pin jacks used in this model are of a new and highly efficient design. When working with sensitivities of 20,000 ohms per volt, leakage paths in the mechanical structure of the tester must be kept at a minimum. It is easy to see that on the 1000 volt d.c. range 20 megohms of adjusted resistance is required. If, therefore, a shunt leakage path of even 200 megohms should appear across any of the pin jacks then a 10% error in reading might occur. It is, therefore, vital that these jacks should be of the best molded bakelite and they have been designed with a very long leakage path. The phosphor bronze clip in the jack is mounted from the back end and, therefore, the leakage path across the jack is from the panel all the way down to the base of the jack at the back to the insert or approximately ½". Ten active jacks appear on the panel, the two above the meter being available for the 10 and 1 amp. range and for mounting the type 666, selector block. The use of this block as a part of the analyzer equipment will be covered later on in the instructions. The two upper right-hand jacks labelled d.c. volts, ohms, and d.c. milliamperes are used for all of the d.c. volt ranges, all of the ohm ranges and for all of the d.c. milliampere ranges appearing on the switch. There are available then from these jacks the following:

D.C. Volts 20,000 Ohms per Volt or 1,000 Ohms per Volt	Ohms	D.C. Milliamperes
2.5	0 — 3000	10
10	0 — 30,000	50
50	0 — 3 megohms	250
250	0 — 30 megohms	
1000		

1.31—All d.c. volt ranges are available at two sensitivities. This dual sensitivity arrangement is of considerable help, where data taken on 1,000 ohm per volt instruments has been listed. The two sensitivities are available from the small 3-position functional switch to the left of the range switch. This control is equipped with a small bakelite knob having two index dots spaced 180° apart. For 20,000 ohm per volt sensitivity, index the upper dot on the knob to the left-hand position or, in other words, rotate the control to the extreme counterclockwise position. For 1000 ohms per volt the upper dot should be indexed to the right or to the extreme clockwise position. For a.c. volts, this control is indexed with the lower dot in the center position. Readings on the 20,000 ohms per volt sensitivity are of considerable advantage on high resistance circuits as the maximum current drain is 50 microamperes. This makes possible far more accurate readings of grid bias, screen and plate voltage in all types of equipment where high resistance circuits are used.

1.32—OHMS. Four ohmmeter ranges provide accurate resistance measurements from ¼ ohm to 30 megohms. Before taking resistance readings, be sure the 3-position functional switch is set to either the left-hand or right-hand index position. Ohmmeter readings cannot be taken when this switch is indexed for a.c. volts. It can, however, be in either of the two ohmmeter positions without any effect on the ohmmeter accuracy. Plug one end of the test leads into the jacks marked D.C. Volts-Ohms-D.C. Milliamps and touch the free ends to the circuit being measured. For readings from ¼ ohm to 100 ohms, the Selector Switch should be in the R position. For readings between 100 and 1,000 ohms set the Switch to R x 10. Readings from 1,000 ohms to 1 megohm are taken with

the switch set to R x 1,000 and for measurements up to 30 megohms the R x 10,000 range is used. Before making resistance measurements and when changing ranges the operator should short the test leads and rotate the OHMMETER ADJUSTER until the pointer indicates exactly full scale. The accuracy of the readings obtained depends largely upon the care with which this setting is made. The d.c. battery potential on the three lower ohm ranges is 1.5 volts. On the R x 10,000 range 15 volts is used. This means that the ohm ranges can be used on all types of low voltage condensers and other low voltage equipment to measure leakage, resistance, etc. When the ohmmeter ranges are used it must be kept in mind that the "+" pin jack is connected to the negative end of the internal ohmmeter battery. This means that when testing electrolytic condensers for leakage, the negative side of the condenser should be connected to the panel jack marked +. This information is important to observe correct polarity and to obtain the resistance of the condenser under correct polarity conditions.

1.33—AMPERES, MILLIAMPERES AND MICROAMPERES. Eight d.c current ranges are available. To take current readings, plug the test leads into the jacks marked D.C. VOLTS-OHMS-D.C. MILLIAMPS and set the switch to the 10, 50 or 250 milliampere range as required. If readings below these values are needed, the — test lead should be left in its jack but the + lead should be plugged into the 1 MILLIAMP or 100 MICROAMPS jack. The circuit should be checked before connecting the meter into these last two ranges. This is especially true on the 100 microampere range where the instrument is sensitive enough to read all kinds of leakage and shunt currents. When taking readings on the 1 MILLIAMP or 100 MICROAMPS ranges, the range switch should be set to the 1 MILLIAMP or 100 MICROAMP positions respectively. If readings above 250 MILLIAMPS are required, set the range switch to 250 MILLIAMPS-1 AMPERE-10 AMPERES position and move the + lead to the 10 amp. or 1 amp. pin jack. Note that for all d.c. measurements the functional switch to the left of the range switch should always be in one of the D.C. VOLTS-MILLIAMPS or OHMS positions. Readings of 50 microamperes full scale may be taken when this extreme sensitivity is required. This is accomplished by plugging the test leads into the D.C. VOLTS-OHMS-D.C. MILLIAMPS jacks and setting the rotary switch to the 2.5 volt position. The instrument is now converted into a 50 microampere high resistance microammeter and readings may be taken directly and accurately in terms of 50 microamps full scale. Some resistance is still in this circuit due to the 2.5 volt range but this is advantageous as it tends to protect the meter from heavy overloads. Note that when taking readings on this 50 microampere range, the first full division on the scale is .5 microampere.

THE 10 AMPERE, 1 AMPERE, 1 MIL. AND 100 MICROAMPERE RANGES HAVE PURPOSELY BEEN BROUGHT OUT TO PIN JACKS SO THAT WHEN CHANGING POSITIONS ON THE ROTARY SWITCH THE METER WILL NOT BE SUBJECT TO SEVERE OVERLOADS IN PASSING THROUGH THESE RANGES.

1.34—A.C. VOLTS. Five a.c. volt ranges are available for the same full scale values as the d.c. ranges. All of these a.c. ranges operate at 1000 ohms per volts. This sensitivity is entirely sufficient for the most sensitive a.c. readings and is far preferred to higher sensitivity as much more accurate readings can be obtained. When the current density in an instrument rectifier gets far below a 1 mil. or 1000 ohm per volt value, its temperature and resistance characteristics become very critical and therefore, standard 1000 ohms per volt a.c. ranges are supplied. A new rectifier and associated circuit permits a single a.c. arc for all voltage ranges and has decreased the error due to temperature to 2% from 40° F. to 114° F. Note that when taking readings on a.c. or across the output meter jacks, the 3-position functional switch in the lower left-hand corner must be indexed to the A.C. VOLTS-OUTPUT METER position. Accurate readings can be taken on the a.c. ranges over a wide band of frequencies extending over the complete audio spectrum. The meter has a substantially flat frequency characteristic up to 7000 cycles and at this point starts to drop off at approximately .5% per thousand cycles. This slight error is generally considered negligible as it is far smaller than the errors introduced by even the best of transformers and other such equipment. NOTE THAT ALL A.C. READINGS ARE TAKEN ON A SINGLE ARC LOCATED BETWEEN THE D.C. AND DB. SCALE.

1.35—DECIBELS. Total db range from —14 to +54 is available in 5 steps. The zero power level is based on a 6 mw. level in a 500 ohm line. To take readings of decibels place the test leads in the a.c. volt jacks and index the functional switch in the lower left-hand corner in the A.C. VOLTS-OUTPUT METER position. Set the selector switch to the power level desired and take readings on the decibel arc, adding or subtracting to the indication the figure engraved on the panel directly under the voltage range selected. For example: If the selector switch is set on 50 V and the meter reads —2 db, add +22, the figure engraved under the 50 Volt position, and the power level is +20 db.

1.36—OUTPUT METER. The output meter jacks should be used only when d.c. must be kept out of the circuit. A blocking condenser of .2 microfarad is connected in series with these jacks protecting the meter from d.c. current. It is not advisable to take actual volt readings on these jacks except on the higher ranges. While the readings on each of the volt switch positions will be approximately the same as the readings appearing across the a.c. volt jacks, the reactance of the condenser will add vectorially to the resistors in the meter circuit and therefore will cause a slight drop in instrument reading. Likewise reactance of the condenser will vary with frequency and therefore accurate readings of a.c. volts should not be made using these jacks but should be taken with the leads connected to the a.c. volt jacks.

1.4 — Batteries. This tester requires 3 batteries. A 1.5 volt flashlight cell (Burgess No. 2 or Eveready No. 950 unicell) is used for the R, R x 10, and R x 1000 ranges. This cell should be replaced when it is no longer possible to bring the pointer to top scale or zero mark on these three ranges. Two 7.5 volt batteries (Burgess No. 5540 or equivalent) are used only with the R x 10000 range. These cells should be changed when it is no longer possible to bring the pointer to zero mark on this range. To replace the unicell, place the thumb over the positive battery end of the clamp pressing toward the battery, and pull up

the wire ring clip. Replace the unicell and refasten the ring clip by placing the open end over the two projections at the negative end and snap the closed end over the thumb clamp at the positive end.

When replacing the two 7.5 volt batteries, the connections are as follows:

Connect the two in series by connecting the black lead on one to the + terminal on the other. The remaining black lead should then be connected to the binding post on the negative end of the 1.5 volt battery clamp. The free red lead from the tester panel should then be connected to the remaining + post to obtain 15 volts.

1.5 — Case. This tester is equipped with a sturdily constructed wooden case which will stand considerable abuse. The wood is finished in a natural color, no stain being used so that scratches incurred during normal service will not show to any appreciable extent. However, should the case become marred it may easily be touched up by using clear lacquer on the section affected or by rubbing up with any good furniture polish.

1.6 — Test Leads. One standard pair of test leads is supplied with this instrument. These may be used at all times in conjunction with the tester proper or with the Model 666 Selector Block. If the leads are lost or broken, they may be replaced by ordering Test Leads Nos. 70033 and 70034.

1.7 — Instruction Book One copy of this instruction book is supplied with each tester. In the latter section of the book abundant data is available in regard to the operation of the tester as well as some information on circuit analysis or receiver or amplifier trouble shooting. This book should be kept inside of the tester when it is being transported so that it will be available for immediate use at any time, should questions arise as to the most efficient operation of the tester.

Test Procedure

II. SELECTION OF RANGES

2.1 — D. C. Volts

a. Plug red test lead in the + jack marked D.C. VOLTS-OHMS-MA. Plug black test lead in — jack.

b. Set the 3-position functional switch to either the 1000 ohm per volt or the 20,000 ohm per volt position, depending upon the voltmeter sensitivity desired.

c. Rotate range switch to any one of 5 ranges required.

d. Take reading on black d.c. 100 line arc using figuring that goes with this arc. Multiply by 1, 10, or 100 in accord with the switch range being used.

NOTE: All ranges are available at 1,000 and 20,000 ohms per volt. The current that the voltmeter draws may be calculated on the basis of 1 milliamp or 50 microamperes respectively.

e. The resistance of the high sensitivity voltage ranges are as follows:

2.5 volt range — 50,000 ohms
10 volt range — 200,000 ohms
50 volt range — 1 megohm
250 volt range — 5 megohms
1000 volt range — 20 megohms

2.2 — Ohms

a. Plug test leads in D.C. VOLTS-OHMS-MA. jacks.

b. Set functional switch in either left or right-hand ohm position.

c. Rotate range switch to ohm range desired.

R range 0 — 3,000 ohms
R x 10 0 — 30,000 ohms
R x 1000 0 to 3 megohms
R x 10,000 0 to 30 megohms

d. Short test leads and set pointer to top mark by rotating OHMMETER ADJUSTER.

e. Take ohm readings on top arc using multiplying factor in accord with the switch position.

2.3 — D. C. Current

a. Plug leads in D.C. VOLTS-OHMS-MA. jacks.

b. Set functional switch to either left or right-hand MA. position.

c. Rotate range switch to milliampere range desired. (250, 50 or 10 MA.)

d. Take readings on 100 line d.c. arc.

For 1 milliampere or 100 microamperes:

e. Leave black lead in — jack.

f. Plug red lead in + 1 MA. or + 100 MICROAMPERES jack as required.

g. Set range switch in 10MA—1MA—.1MA position.

h. Take reading on 100 line d.c. arc.

For 50 microamperes:

i. Set up tester for d.c. volts.

j. Rotate range switch to 2.5 volt position.

k. Take readings of 50 microamperes full scale on d.c. arc.

For 10 Amp. or 1 Amp.:

l. Leave black lead in — pin jack.

m. Set range switch to 250MA—1Amp.—10Amp. position.

n. Plug red lead in + 10 Amp or + 1 Amp pin jacks as required.

o. Take reading on 100 line d.c. arc.

2.4 — A. C. Volts

a. Plug leads into A.C. VOLT jacks.

b. Set functional switch to the center position marked A.C. VOLTS-OUTPUT METER.

c. Rotate range switch to any one of the five volt ranges.

d. Read on red arc for all volt ranges.

2.5 — Output Meter

a. Plug test leads in OUTPUT METER jacks.

b. Set functional switch to A.C. VOLTS-OUTPUT METER position.

c. Rotate range switch to any one of the five volt ranges desired.

d. Readings will be relative as condenser in circuit will cause error on low ranges.

NOTE: A .2 mfd. series condenser is built in the analyzer protecting the instrument from d.c. Do not use output jacks on d.c. circuits having potentials much over 400 volts, as this is the working voltage of the condenser.

2.6—Decibels

a. Plug leads into A.C. VOLT jacks.

b. Set functional switch to A.C. VOLTS-OUTPUT METER position.

c. Rotate range switch to any one of the five volt positions.

d. Read on the red decibel scale.

e. Subtract or add to the meter indication the figure engraved on the panel just below the volt range selected.

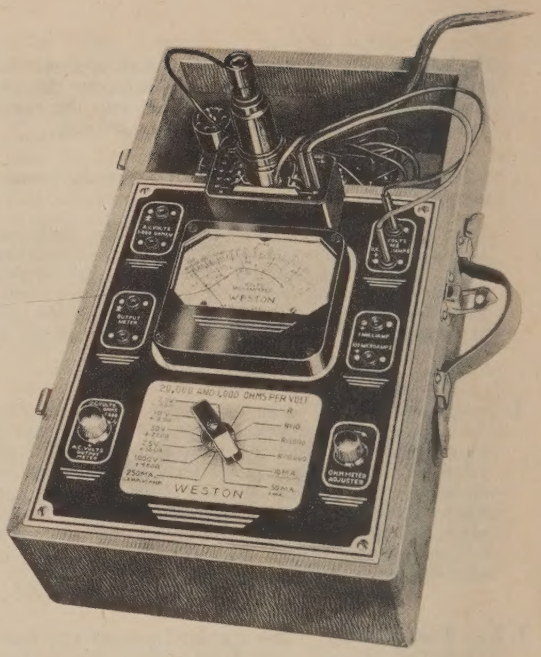
III. MODEL 772 ANALYZER WITH MODEL 666 SOCKET SELECTOR

3.1 — This tester has been designed for use as an analyzer using Weston's well known method of socket selector analysis. The 10 amp. and 1 amp. pin jacks directly above the instrument are correctly spaced to fit the pins on the base of the Model 666 Selector block. By fitting the block in position and using the small jumper leads supplied with the block, voltage, current, resistance, decibels and output readings can be taken rapidly and accurately on any type of tube base irregardless of its pin arrangement and electrode position. When the selector unit is used there will be no requirements necessitating the use of the 10 amp. and 1 amp. current ranges, and hence the placing of the selector block on these pin jacks will not limit the use of the two high current ranges. The tester case has been provided with a compartment at the top for carrying this block and its set of skirted adapters. These adapters carry over the tube pin numbering on each type of base in accord with the standard Weston and RMA. tube base charts which are supplied with the socket selector unit. The adapters fit into the holes in the wooden block mounted in the bottom of this compartment.

3.2 — To obtain readings set the socket selector block in position using the two above mentioned jacks, as shown in figure 2. Select the adapter that has the base corresponding to that of the tube under test. These adapters are color coded so that they can be picked out rapidly.

4 prong—red
5 prong—green
6 prong—blue
small 7 prong—light brown
large 7 prong—black
8 prong—orange
8 prong loktal—dark brown
7 prong miniature—black

Place the skirted adapter in the selector block and the plug adapter on the end of the analyzer plug. Remove the tube on which measurements are to be taken from the chassis and insert plug. Place the tube in the block socket. If the operator is familiar with the tube electrode positions, measurements of current, voltage or resistance on any electrode may be rapidly made by connecting the jumper cables from the block jacks to any of the tester jacks. IF THE TUBE ELECTRODE POSITIONS ARE NOT KNOWN, REFERENCE SHOULD BE MADE TO THE TUBE BASE DATA CONNECTION CHART, A COPY OF WHICH IS ENCLOSED. These charts tie any tube base to the numbers on the selector block.



View Showing Model 666 Socket Selector Block Mounted on Model 772 Analyzer

Figure 2

THIS METHOD IS ESPECIALLY VALUABLE AS A CURRENT JACK IN EACH CIRCUIT ALLOWS INSERTION OF ANY MILLIAMPERE RANGE IN ANY ELECTRODE CIRCUIT. CURRENT READINGS ARE VITAL AS THEY TELL JUST WHAT THE TUBES ARE DRAWING.

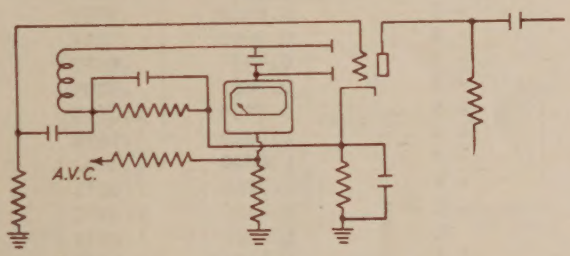
Convenient point to point resistance checks are also valuable and can be most easily made across the readily available selector block jacks. Note the picture of the analyzer set-up for measurements of plate current on a type 6-A-8 tube.

IV. UNUSUAL MEASUREMENTS MADE WITH THE MODEL 772 ANALYZER

4.1 — Measurements of grid, plate, screen and cathode voltage can be made with far better accuracy on a 20,000 ohm per volt analyzer than on those with lower sensitivity. The high resistances used in these circuits will cause large voltage drops when an instrument of low sensitivity is inserted in the circuit. Power detectors using high resistance cathode circuits are difficult to measure for exact bias as the current in these circuits is quite small. By using the 50 volt range on the Model 772 such voltage can be accurately measured in the vicinity of 20 volts which is often required for power detection. When making a measurement of this type only 20 microamperes would be drawn by the meter,

this being a fraction of the current in the cathode circuit of these tubes. In general, for making all types of voltage measurement, the instrument can be handled like any other voltmeter but if there is any doubt in the serviceman's mind as to the greatly increased value of this sensitivity, an easy test can be made by taking measurements on a 250,000 ohm plate circuit of the resistance coupled to it. A comparison is shown below, giving the readings that would be obtained on this modern analyzer as against the old 125 ohm per volt and later 1000 ohm per volt types.

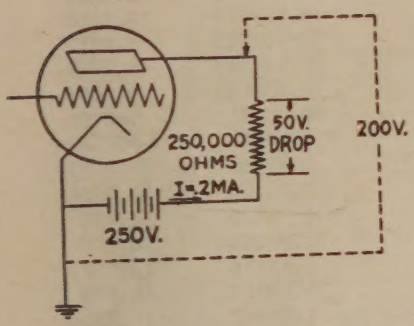
4. 2 — Measurements of rectified diode current are of vital importance in making tests of a.v.c and diode detector receivers. Diode currents seldom run over 100 microamperes except on very strong signals and, therefore, measurements as low as 1 microampere will be very valuable. Diagrams showing the method of taking these measurements in a typical diode detector and a.v.c. circuit is shown in figure 3. If the one megohm resistor is used in the a.v.c. circuit, the a.v.c. bias can be read directly on the instrument by converting each reading in microamperes directly to volts, as one microampere through a megohm will give a reading of one volt. Note that the 100 microampere range is used for some readings as its resistance is quite low i.e., in the order of 1250 ohms. For more sensitive readings the 2.5 volt position can be used for reading 50 microamperes, but the 50,000 ohms in this circuit will sometimes upset the a.v.c. and detector circuits. With either of these ranges note that accurate readings can be taken down to .5 microampere.



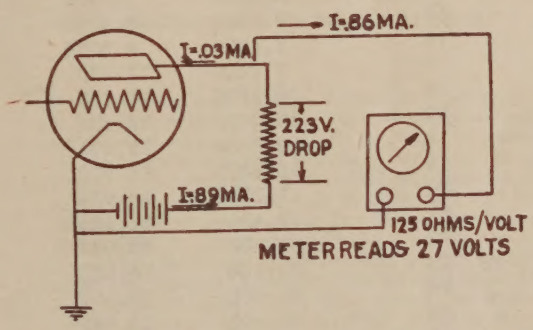
Meter in A. V. C. Diode Circuit to Check A. V. C. Action

Figure 3

EFFECT OF DIFFERENT METER SENSITIVITIES ON A TYPICAL RESISTANCE COUPLED PLATE CIRCUIT



Normal Operation No Meter In Circuit



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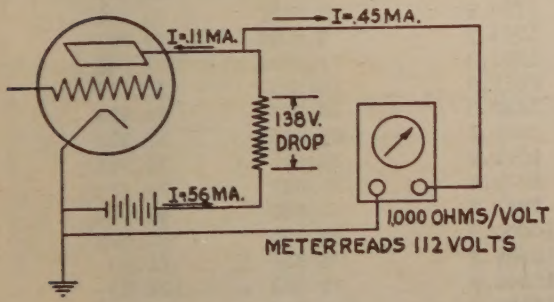

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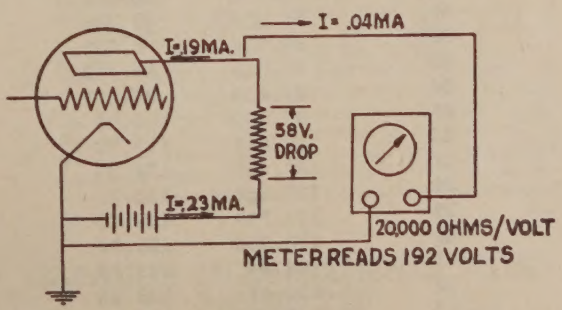


Conditions Using 20,000 Ohms Per Volt Meter

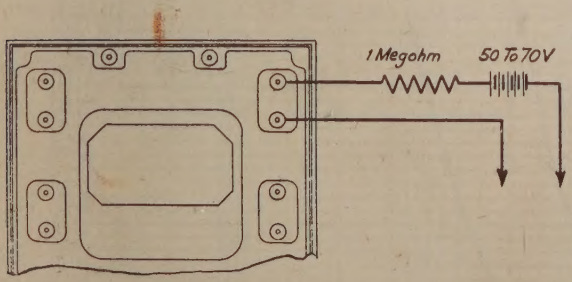
Meter Range—250 Volts Full Scale in All Cases

DECIBEL READINGS

Power Level DB	Volts—Based on 6 M.W. at 0 DB In 500 ohms	600 ohms	Power Ratio to 0 DB	Power 6 MW at 0 DB Watts	Voltage Ratio to 0 DB
-10	0.5477	.6000	0.1000	0.0006000	0.31623
- 9	0.6145	.6732	0.1259	0.0007553	0.35481
- 8	0.6895	.7554	0.1585	0.0009509	0.39811
- 7	0.7737	.8475	0.1995	0.0011972	0.44668
- 6	0.8681	.9509	0.2512	0.0015071	0.50119
- 5	0.9740	1.0670	0.3162	0.0018975	0.56234
- 4	1.0928	1.1972	0.3981	0.0023886	0.63096
- 3	1.2262	1.3433	0.5012	0.0030071	0.70795
- 2	1.3758	1.5071	0.6310	0.0037857	0.79433
- 1	1.5437	1.6910	0.7943	0.0047660	0.89125
0	1.7321	1.8974	1.0000	0.0060000	1.00000
+ 1	1.9434	2.1289	1.2589	0.0075535	1.1220
+ 2	2.1805	2.3886	1.5849	0.0095093	1.2589
+ 3	2.4466	2.6801	1.9953	0.0119716	1.4125
+ 4	2.7451	3.0071	2.5110	0.0150713	1.5849
+ 5	3.0801	3.3741	3.1623	0.0189747	1.7783
+ 6	3.4559	3.7867	3.9811	0.0238865	1.9953
+ 7	3.8776	4.2477	5.0119	0.030071	2.2387
+ 8	4.3507	4.7660	6.3096	0.037857	2.5119
+ 9	4.8816	5.3475	7.9433	0 047660	2.8184
10	5.4772	6.0000	10.0000	0.060000	3.1623
11	6.1455	6.7321	12.589	0.075535	3.5481
12	6.8954	7.5536	15.849	0.095093	3.9811
13	7.7368	8.4752	19.953	0.119716	4.4668
14	8.6808	9.5094	25.119	0.150713	5.0119
15	9.7400	10.670	31.623	0.189747	5.6234
16	10.9285	11.972	39.811	0.238865	6.3096
17	12.2620	13.433	50.119	0.30071	7.0795
18	13.7582	15.071	63.096	0.37857	7.9433
19	15.4369	16.910	79.433	0.47660	8.9125
20	17.3205	18.974	100.000	0.60000	10.0000
21	19.434	21.289	125.89	0.75535	11.220
22	21.805	23.886	158.49	0.95093	12.589
23	24.466	26.801	199.53	1.19716	14.125
24	27.451	30.071	251.19	1.50713	15.849
25	30.801	33.741	316.23	1.89747	17.783
26	34.559	37.867	398.11	2.38865	19.953
27	38.776	42.477	501.19	3.0071	22.387
28	43.507	47.660	630.96	3.7857	25.119
29	48.816	53.475	794.33	4.7660	28.184
30	54.772	60.000	1000.00	6.0000	31.623
31	61.455	67.321	1258.9	7.5535	35.481
32	68.954	75.536	1584.9	9.5093	39.811
33	77.368	84.752	1995.3	11.9716	44.668
34	86.808	95.094	2511.9	15.0713	50.119
35	97.400	106.70	3162.3	18.9747	56.234
36	109.285	119.72	3981.1	23.8865	63.096
37	122.620	134.33	5011.9	30.071	70.795
38	137.582	150.71	6309.6	37.857	79.433
39	154.369	169.10	7943.3	47.660	89.125
40	173.205	189.74	10000.0	60.000	100.000
41	194.34	212.89	12589.2	75.535	112.20
42	218.05	238.86	15848.9	95.093	125.89
43	244.66	268.01	19952.6	119.716	141.25
44	274.51	300.71	25118.9	150.713	158.49
45	308.01	337.41	31622.8	189.747	177.83
46	345.59	378.67	39810.7	238.865	199.53
47	387.76	424.77	50118.7	300.71	223.87
48	435.07	476.60	63095.7	378.57	251.19
49	488.16	534.75	79432.7	476.60	281.84
50	547.72	600.00	100000.0	600.00	316.25

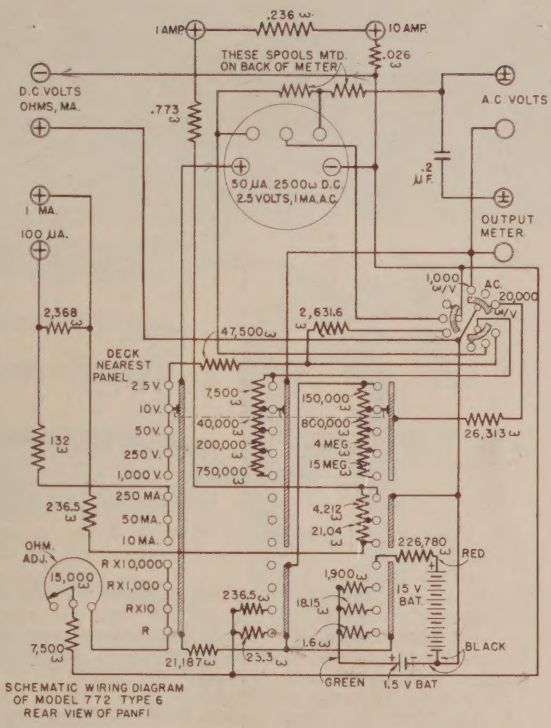
4.3 — Condenser leakage measurements are very valuable in segregating shorted or leaky condensers. The sensitive ohm ranges on the Model 772 make these tests very easy. Measurements of paper condensers should always be made using the top or R x 10,000 range. All paper condensers should not show any appreciable leakage on this range due to the fact that leakage lower than 50 megohms is liable to indicate moisture in the condenser which may result later on in a final breakdown. Electrolytic condensers should in most cases be measured on the R x 1000 range as their resistance is always a finite value somewhere in the low megohm group. A true advantage of a sensitive ohmmeter of this type is shown here where a maximum potential on any range of only 15 volts d.c. is used to obtain the high megohm readings. Any ohm test can, therefore, be taken on any electrolytic condenser regardless of its voltage rating as it will never be exceeded on this model. In general electrolytic condensers used in power supplies should be rejected if their leakage resistance is below 400,000 ohms. Any value much below this will cause heating in the condenser which may in turn result in further injury and final breakdown. On by-pass condensers used on cathode circuits of the 5, 10 and 25 microfarad types with voltage ratings as low as 50 volts, considerably lower resistance readings may be obtained, and where they are shunted by cathode resistors having low values they will probably function alright. However, any electrolytic condenser should have a resistance of at least 100,000 ohms to function correctly in receiver circuits. The condenser should be connected with its + terminal to the — terminal on the tester.

4.4 — A multiplier for the top d.c. ohm range can be made if even higher ohm readings are desired. The extreme sensitivity of the tester makes it possible and by adding 60 volts of "B" battery (anything from 50 to 70 volts will do) in series with the ohm jacks shown in the circuit below a 5 to 1 multiplier giving readings up to 150 megohms may be used. It should be noted that a 1 megohm resistor is used and to obtain accurate readings this resistor should be adjusted to 1%. If the voltage in the battery allows adjustment of the pointer to top mark when the leads are shorted together, the readings on this top range will multiply exactly by 5 if the external resistor used has been accurately adjusted and is so constructed that it will hold its accuracy through moisture and temperature variations. This additional 5 to 1 multiplier is often valuable in measuring paper condensers for leakage as estimates of as high as 200 and 250 megohms can be made by watching the pointer. Top reading on this range would be 150 megohms.



Circuit for Rx50,000 Used on Top or Rx10,000 Ohm Switch Position

Figure 4



Wiring Diagram for Model 772 Analyzer

4.5 — For those who wish to determine a power level in a 600 ohm line, and for those who wish to refer to a power level table, we add a word of explanation for the use of the Decibel table given in this book. For example on a 600 ohm line with the selector switch in the 10 volt position and a.c. Volt pin jacks connected across the line, a reading of 4.24 might be obtained. This is read on the red a.c. scale. Referring to db readings on the previous page the column headed "VOLTS—BASED ON 6 MILLIWATTS AT O DB." should be located. Under this heading two individual columns should be noted, one entitled "500 OHMS" and the other "600 OHMS." As the particular line in question is a 600 ohm line the operator should run his finger down this column and locate the nearest reading to 4.24. This happens to be the 18th figure in this column, the exact reading here being 4.2477. Referring horizontally to the left-hand column entitled "POWER LEVEL IN DB" a reading of + 7 will be noted. The level on this line is, therefore, + 7 db. or, 7 d.b. above zero level of 6 milliwatts. If the line in question happens to be a 500 ohm line, the db. scale on the instrument may be used or the 2nd column from the left should be referred to. If the power ratio to zero db. is required or the actual power in watts in this particular line is to be determined, then the figure in 4th or 5th column should be located.

CAPACITY MEASUREMENTS WITH MODEL 772

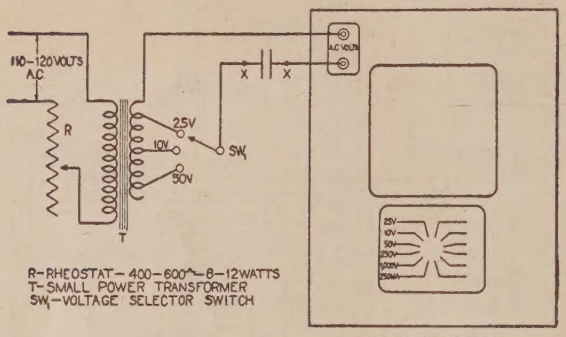
4.6 — Capacity measurements can be made with the Model 772 Analyzer by making use of a small power transformer having 2.5, 10 and 50 volt secondary windings. If only one range of capacity is desired or if a transformer is available with only one of

these potential windings, readings can be taken on just one single a.c. range.

The capacity coverage on the three lower volt ranges of the Model 772 are as follows:

2.5 volts a.c. — .01 to 10 microfarads
10 volts a.c. — .005 — 2.0 microfarads
50 volts a.c. — .0004 — 1.0 microfarads

To make these measurements the wiring diagram as shown below should be followed.



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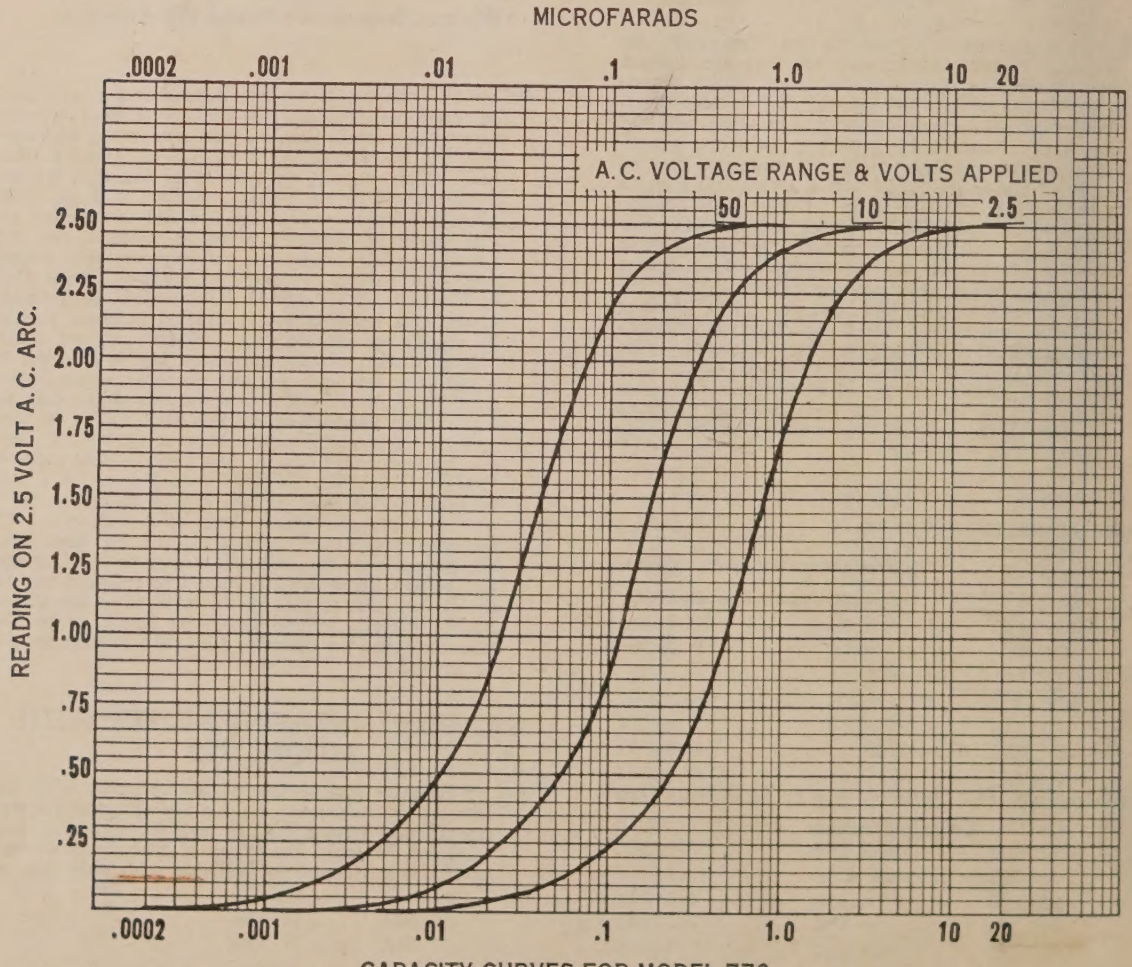
1. Connect the transformer through a 400 to 600 ohm rheostat directly across a normal 110 to 120 volt 60 cycle a.c. line.
2. Set up a three point switch or some method of making connection to each of the three secondary taps mentioned above and wire the common of this switch to one test lead and connect the other test lead as shown to one of the a.c. volt jacks.
3. Rotate the range switch on the Model 772 to correspond to the voltage taps as used on this external transformer.
4. Short the test leads "XX" and adjust the series rheostat R until the pointer on the Model 772 instrument indicates exactly full scale.
5. The test leads should then be connected across the condenser to be measured and a voltage reading taken on the a.c. arc 2.5 volt range. This particular range is used for all capacity readings irrespective of the applied voltage to simplify the curves.
6. Refer to the three curves below reading up from the bottom of the left-hand side of the chart to the voltage reading as obtained on the Model 772. Read across horizontally to the voltage range used and projecting down from this point the capacity in microfarads can be obtained directly.

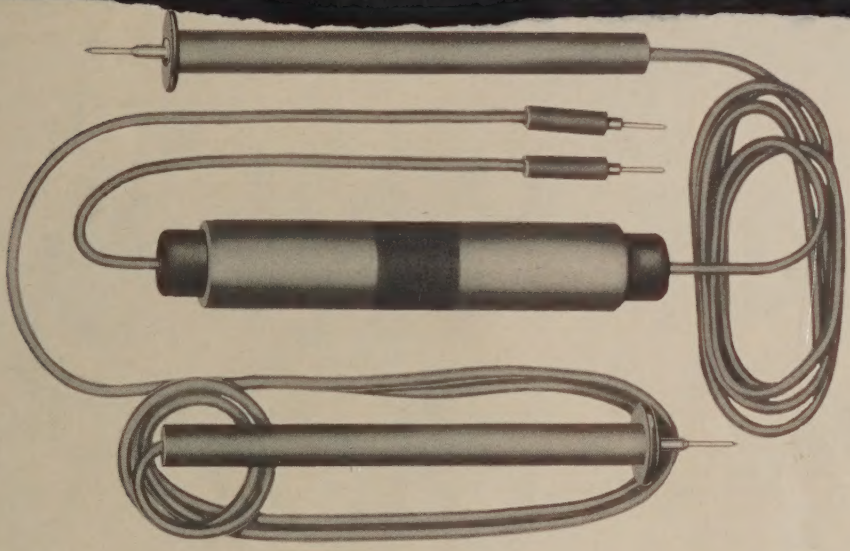
Example

a. Set the transformer tap switch to the 2.5 volt tap.
b. Rotate the Model 772 switch to the 2.5 volt position making sure that the functional switch is indexed to the center or A.C. VOLTS position.
c. Short the test leads and adjust the rheostat R for full scale meter deflection.
d. Connect the test leads across the condenser and a reading of say 1.8 volts is obtained.
e. Read up on the axis labelled "Indication on 2.5 Volt A.C. Arc" to the reading equal to 1.8 volts and project across to the 2.5 volt curve. Reading down from the point the capacity as measured is 1.1 microfarads.

While this may seem slightly complicated at first, after taking readings on two or three condensers, the procedure will become quite simple and after a little practice capacity readings can be taken quite easily, rapidly and with reasonable accuracy in this way.



CAPACITY CURVES FOR MODEL 772



Instructions For Weston Model 766 Type 1 Televerter Multiplier

This high voltage multiplier is used to extend the range of 20,000 ohm per volt analyzers to 5,000 volts. The Model 766 Televerter may be mounted with the spring clamp in the lead compartment. Using a #27 drill, a hole may be drilled from the outside of the case into the lead compartment near the center, and approximately 1" down from the panel mounting surface. A bolt, nut and lockwasher are supplied for this mounting. If desired, the Televerter may be operated loose in the compartment.

It is advisable to keep the analyzer at ground or chassis potential when measuring high voltages. Where the plus potential is grounded to chassis as on most Cathode Ray tube equipment, plug the 6" lead from the Televerter into the minus D.C. Volts jack. Connect the separate lead from the plus D.C. volts jack to chassis or low potential point, and the long lead from the Televerter to the high negative potential. Set Model 772 switch to 2.5 volts, with all other controls indexed for D.C. volts, 20,000 ohms per volt. Read 5,000 volts full scale on the 100 line D.C. arc. Six thousand volts can be read full scale by indexing volt switch to 1,000 volts.

If the negative of the circuit is at or near chassis potential, reverse the procedure connecting the 6" Televerter lead to the plus D.C. Volts jack; connect the separate lead from the minus D.C. Volts to the chassis or low potential point and the long Televerter lead to the high positive potential point. Set switches as outlined above and read 5,000 volts full scale.

The Televerter and leads are designed and manufactured to pass A.I.E.E. dielectric specifications. The unit is doubly sealed for protection against moisture and will maintain its accuracy under severe humid conditions.

CARE SHOULD BE EXERCISED IN TAKING HIGH POTENTIAL READINGS. USE ONE HAND AT A TIME.

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